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THE CHANNING HOME,

No. 30 McLean Street.

REPORT No. 17,

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BOSTON
PRESS OF DELAND & BARTA
54 PEARL STREET
1885.

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OFFICERS FOR 1885.

President.

SAMUEL A. GREEN, M. D.

Directors.

CHARLES P. CURTIS. THEODORE METCALF.
SARAH G. CARY. SARAH E. REED.
SAMUEL A. GREEN.

Treasurer.

THEODORE METCALF.

Assistant Treasurer.

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Clerk.

CHARLES P. CURTIS.

Physicians.

A. L. MASON, M.D. JAMES B. AYER, M.D.
VINCENT Y. BOWDITCH, M.D.

Matron.

Mrs. ELIZA McDONALD.

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The Directors of the Channing Home submit the following Report for the year ending March 31, 1885.

The institution was first opened in Channing Street in May, 1857, by Miss Harriet Ryan, who afterward became Mrs. Albee. It was her intention to make it a home for sick women, rather than a hospital, and it was her custom to admit chronic and incurable cases. In this respect it meets a want in the community that is not entirely filled by other institutions. And it will be the endeavor of the managers to carry out the plan that she so nobly started. Some of the patients have been inmates of the Home for years, and no pay is taken from any of them.

The present building, No. 30 McLean Street, was first occupied by the Home in May, 1870, and is well adapted to the purpose. It is light and airy, and situated in a quiet and unpaved street. Its position gives it some advantages of importance to the patients, and it is believed that they are more comfortable here than they would be in a larger hospital.

The Directors desire to return their thanks to the Hollis-Street Flower Mission and the Cambridge Flower Mission for the bouquets sent to the patients; and they wish also to acknowledge the receipt of fruit, flowers, and other articles of comfort and luxury, from Miss Mary Shannon, of Newton.

The friends of the Home are invited to visit the institution, and to see for themselves the plan on which it is conducted. Any gifts for it may be sent to the Treasurer, Theodore Metcalf, No. 39 Tremont Street, or to the Home, No. 30 McLean Street.

The Directors also desire to acknowledge the ready and kind services rendered at all times by the physicians, as well as by the Matron.

Boston, April 8, 1885.

THE CHANNING HOME, *in acc't with* T. METCALF, *Treas.*

1884–5. DR.

April 1.	To Balance from old account	$727.58
	Dividend, Union and Pacific Railroad	175.00
	,, Boston Gas Light Co.	800.00
	,, Boston & Albany Railroad	160.00
	,, Fitchburg Railroad Bonds	150.00
	,, Fitchburg Railroad Stock	250.00
	,, Detroit & Hillsdale Railroad	140.00
	,, Oregon Short Line Bonds	420.00
	,, Old Colony Railroad Bonds	135.00
	,, Atchison & Nebraska Bonds	140.00
	,, Kansas, Springfield & Memphis Bonds	120.00
	Interest on Mortgage	500.77
	,, Deposit account	23.38
	Annual subscriptions	414.00
	Bequest from a patient	70.00
	Gift, Mrs. J. S. Lovering	100.00
	Gift, Mrs. George Gardner	100.00
	Cash, Old Colony Railroad Bonds matured.	4,000.00
		$8,425.73

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By Expenses of Home	$3,850.00
Faris Annuity	150.00
Printing Annual Report and Advertising	15.72
Kansas, Springfield & Memphis Bonds and Interest, at 97½	3,999.33
Balance to new account	410.68
	$8,425.73

E. & O. E. THEODORE METCALF, *Treasurer.*

BOSTON, April 8, 1885.

Examined and approved, { SAMUEL A. GREEN. CHARLES P. CURTIS.

LIST OF SUBSCRIBERS TO THE CHANNING HOME.

The Directors gratefully acknowledge the receipt, during the past year, of money from the following persons, for the use of the Home : —

Mrs. Henry W. Abbot.
Mrs. Henry Adams.
Mrs. Louis Agassiz.
Mr. James M. Barnard.
Dr. George A. Bethune.
Mrs. Frederic H. Bradlee.
Mrs. Martin Brimmer.
The Misses Cary.
Mrs. John T. Coolidge.
Miss Anne W. Davis.
Mrs. Robert H. Eddy.
Mrs. James T. Fields.
Mr. John T. Gardner.
Mr. Joseph B. Glover.
Mrs. J. S. Copley Greene.
Mrs. Samuel E. Guild.
Mr. James Guild.
Mrs. Henry L. Higginson
Mrs. Oliver W. Holmes.
Mrs. John Homans.
Mrs. Charles C. Jackson.
Mrs. John W. James.
Mrs. Henry Lee.
Mrs. Thornton K. Lothrop.
Mrs. Lucy R. Read.
Miss Sarah E. Read.
Miss Julia G. Robins.
Miss Mary Russell.
Mrs. Quincy A. Shaw.
Mrs. Frederick Stone.
Mrs. James Tolman.
Miss Rebecca P. Wainwright.
Miss Mary Ann Wales.
Mrs. P. H. Wentworth.
Mrs. Andrew C. Wheelwright.

In addition to the above, a large number of gifts of flowers, fruit, etc., have been received and acknowledged at the Home.

SAMUEL A. GREEN,
President.